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SUBJECT: MUNITIONS CONTROL REQUEST: SMALL ARMS
AMMUNITION

1. THE DEPARTMENT HAS RECEIVED AN APPLICATION FROM OLIN CORPORATION FOR A LICENSE TO EXPORT 800,000 ROUNDS OF 22 CALIBER RIMFIRE AMMUNITION AND 1.1 MILLION ROUNDS OF 45 CALIBER CENTERFIRE PISTOL AMMUNITION TO THE ROK. THE APPLICATION LISTS OSROK AS THE FOREIGN CONSIGNEE.

2. UNLESS THIS AMMUNITION IS INTENDED FOR USE BY THE MILITARY, RATHER THAN BY ROKG LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES, APPROVAL WILL BE VERY DIFFICULT TO OBTAIN. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED, THEREFORE, TO TRY TO DETERMINE WHETHER THIS ORDER - OSROK CONTRACT NUMBER KFX-KOS-772265-P1 OF DECEMBER 29, 1977 - IS INTENDED FOR MILITARY USE. IF SO, IT WOULD BE USEFUL TO HAVE A CLEAR STATEMENT TO THIS
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EFFECT FROM AN APPROPRIATE MND OFFICIAL, TOGETHER WITH ASSURANCES THAT THE AMMO WOULD NOT BE TRANSFERRED TO OTHER ROKG AGENCIES. VANCE

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